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Re: C00349506 Cantwell 2006 and Keith Grinstein, as Treasurer

This is in response to the Commission's letter requesting additional information regarding the Cantwell 2006 (the "Committee's") Year-End 2002 Report. Specifically, your letter requests additional information regarding certain contributions that you listed as potentially in excess of the contribution limits. We have reviewed our records and are providing information indicating that each of the contributions noted were in compliance.

Charlotte Spitzer. It is not clear why this has been noted by you as excessive. The Committee refunded \$1,250 to her in September 2002, which is correctly reported on the Schedule B line 20a of the Committee's Year-End 2002 report. According to the Committee's FEC filings, the contribution schedule is as follows:

Schedule A		
4/24/01	\$1000	2006 Primary
2/06/02	\$250	2006 General
8/23/02	\$750	2006 General
8/26/02	\$250	2006 General
8/26/02	\$1000	2000 Primary

According to the Committee's FEC filings, the refund schedule is as follows:

Schedule B		
9/13/02	\$250	2006 General
9/13/02	\$1000	2000 Primary

Therefore, the records do not reflect an excessive contribution.

<u>Lisa Atkins</u>. \$2,000 of her contribution was reattributed to her spouse, Robert Atkins in January 2003. Attached is a copy of the report for the first quarter of 2003, which details this reattribution. While the Committee correctly notes this as a reattribution, it inadvertently listed the reattribution date as opposed to the original date of the contribution. An amendment clarifying this will be filed.

